

DIXON EVENING TELEGRAPH.

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DIXON, ILLINOIS, MONDAY MARCH 17, 1902.

NINETEENTH YEAR 99

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REPUBLICANS NAME TICKET.

Caucus Held Saturday at the Armory from 3 to 5 P. M.—1169 Votes Cast.

PARSON AND CORTRIGHT SUPERVISORS

Milton Bryan Nominated for Collector—Moyer for Assessor, Worthington Town Clerk, Hetler Highway Commissioner.

Supervisor.

(Two to be Elected)

E. C. Parsons
N. A. Cortright

Town Clerk.

W. E. Worthington

Assessor.

John E. Moyer

Collector.

Milton Bryan

Highway Commissioner.

Jerry Hetler

The above is the ticket which the Republicans of Dixon township, at the caucus held Saturday from 3 to 5 p. m., placed in nomination for the township election on April 1. The caucus was held at the Armory on Second street. It was an harmonious convention and evidence of the united condition of the party was given in the good feeling which prevailed. There were 1169 votes cast for the various candidates, some voting for but one candidate and others for two. These were for the two officers for which there were contests—supervisor and collector. The votes were recorded as follows:

For supervisor, two to be nominated:

N. A. Cortright 532.

E. C. Parsons 523.

M. D. Smith 497.

O. B. Anderson 377.

Town Clerk:

W. E. Worthington 925.

Assessor:

John E. Moyer 913.

Collector, one to be nominated:

Milton Bryan 562.

Rudolph Boyer 446.

Charles Peek 147.

Commissioner of Highways:

Jerry Hetler 905.

The meeting was called to order by Attorney E. E. Wingert, chairman of the township central committee. A temporary organization was at once effected by selecting Hiram Hetler for chairman and George E. Shields as secretary. Mr. Shields and Eugene Stiles acted as clerks of caucus, with George McBride and D. S. Lafferty. It was decided that the judges also act as challengers. All who voted the Republican election of 1900 and who unhesitatingly agreed to vote that ticket in the future were allowed to cast a ballot.

Action was taken enlarging the township committee to six members, one for each precinct, they have power to select a seventh and to elect a chairman. The members of this committee for the ensuing year are: First Precinct—H. U. Bardwell. Second " "—R. S. Farrand. Third " "—D. S. Lafferty. Fourth " "—Louis Stephan, Jr. Fifth " "—J. W. Watts. Sixth " "—E. H. Browster.

The new committee will also have power to call precinct caucuses in each of the six precincts for the selection of delegates to the county conventions, and for any other business which will properly come before them.

Sudden Death at Tampico.

Mrs. Malcolm Graham a highly respected and well known lady living about three miles southwest from the village of Tampico, dropped dead at her home Friday afternoon at 2 o'clock. Her death was totally unexpected as she was apparently enjoying excellent health and when the sudden summons came, she was dressed ready to make a call, and was only waiting the arrival of her carriage. Her daughter, Miss Nellie, who was going to accompany her mother, was in the room and the first knowledge she had of anything wrong was when she saw her mother sink to the floor. The physicians say Mrs. Graham died from heart trouble. She was about fifty-seven years of age and had always apparently enjoyed most excellent health.

The funeral services were held at 2 o'clock Sunday afternoon at the Catholic church in Tampico. Twelve children survive all of whom are grown or nearly so.

Purchases Half Interest.

D. M. Billmire has purchased a half interest in the blacksmith shop on Depot avenue formerly owned by him. The firm is now Billmire & Sassan.

Late Telegrams

Henry Nearly Home Again.

Special to THE TELEGRAPH:

PLYMOUTH, Eng., March 17.—The ocean steamer, Deutschland, with Prince Henry and suite on board arrived here at an early hour this morning. The ocean liner with its distinguished passenger left here at 4 o'clock for Hamburg. All were well and the Prince in complexion was somewhat bronzed and completely recovered from any fatigue experienced in his trip and entertainments in the United States. He says it was a pleasure he will long remember.

Lives of Life Savers Lost.

Special to THE TELEGRAPH:

CHATHAM, Mass., March 17.—Captain Eldridge of the Monomacy Life Saving station, who this morning, with seven of his crew, started out in the storm to the relief of a distressed barge, were all but one drowned by the capsizing of their life boat. Surrman Ellis was the only one of the seven men who started out on the brave undertaking that escaped.

CROWLEY LOSES HELP OF LAYMEN.

Association Renounces Any Connection With the Dispute in the Diocese.

Father Jeremiah J. Crowley and the Catholic Laymen's association have formally separated, and each will work regardless of the other in the dispute existing in the Archdiocese of Chicago. This action was taken at a meeting in the Sherman House yesterday afternoon, which was attended by representatives from all but two parishes, and which was addressed by Father Crowley. It takes from the priest the support of all his known adherents save Father Cashman and Father Hodnett.

The Laymen's association has been eager to have an investigation, but it did not care to be classed with the opponents of Bishop Peter J. Muldoon, against whom it has no charges or enmity. The claims of Father Crowley that the condition of the diocese demands examination have been based it is said, on evidence collected by the laymen's organization. Similar evidence the members will continue to gather, but they will present it themselves and let it go through the regular channels of the church.

So kind do most of the laymen feel toward Father Crowley, as in individual, that they decided at the same meeting to give him a public reception at some prominent hall of the city, ask him to make a speech there, and probably make him a gift. A committee was named to formulate plans which will be announced at the next meeting.

ST. PATRICK'S DAY BALL.

Supper, Literary Program and Dance This Evening at G. G. Rosbrook Hall.

The dance and entertainment to be given at the G. G. Rosbrook hall this evening will be a very enjoyable and pleasing event. It is under the auspices of St. Patrick's congregation, the ladies of which will serve supper from 5 to 7 o'clock this evening and also during the ball.

The children of St. Mary's School will give the following program this evening:

Chorus—Shandon Bell's 7th and 8th Grades
Recitation—Lucille Jones
Solo—Selected—Miss E. Gannon
Recitation—Clara Valle
Chorus—America's Emblem
Solo—Dublin Bay—Robert Connors
Recitation—Louis Fein
Recitation—The One Legged Goose—John Kelly
Chorus—The Harp and the Shamrock—8th, 7th and 8th Grades

Distress in Arkansas.

The people of Northern Arkansas and Southern Missouri are in a starving condition on account of a drouth last season that destroyed the crops through that section of the southwest. It is believed that if relief is not furnished at once there will be much suffering and loss of life.

We have received a letter from Jerome W. Hollenbeck, a former citizen of Dixon (which is too long for publication today) which tells of the terrible condition of the people in the vicinity of Baxter county, Arkansas. Mr. Hollenbeck's letter will appear tomorrow.

SIXTY YEARS MARRIED LIFE.

Mr. and Mrs. Hiram Will of Dixon Celebrate Anniversary of Their Wedding Today.

FOUR GENERATIONS AT THE DINNER

Relations Gather at Home of Mr. and Mrs. C. C. Godfrey for the Happy Event.

Mr. and Mrs. Hiram Will this day celebrated at the home of their daughter, Mrs. C. C. Godfrey, on Peoria avenue, the sixtieth anniversary of their wedding. Few have been privileged to enjoy such a long and happy wedded life. They are 83 and 80 years old respectively and are enjoying good health.

They were married March 17, 1842, in Somerset county, Penn. Mrs. Will's maiden name was Miss Kezia Meese, and her father, George Meese, was sheriff of Somerset county from 1832 to 1835.

Hiram Will's uncle, Conrad Will, was a member of the Illinois state legislature from Jackson county, and served more terms than has any other man in the state. Will county, this state, was named after him.

Hiram Will's grandfather, Daniel Will, held a commission as captain under General Washington in the Revolutionary army.

Mr. and Mrs. Hiram Will came to Illinois in 1865 and settled in South Dixon, Lee county, where they lived until 1897, when they moved to Dixon to make their home with Mr. and Mrs. C. C. Godfrey.

There were about twenty of their relatives at the dinner served today and among them four generations were represented: Hiram Will, his son, Charles Will, the latter's daughter, Mrs. Bert Hartman, and her little boy, Horace Hartman.

Change in Computing Overtime.

Quite a change has been made in the manner of computing overtime with employees of the Illinois Central. Always before this an engineer would have to be out longer than an hour and thirty minutes, to draw overtime pay. If he came in an hour and twenty minutes late he could claim no overtime, but if he was an hour and thirty-one minutes late he could lay claim to two hours' overtime pay. Under the new scale, if he is late under thirty minutes he can claim no overtime, but if he is over thirty minutes late, he can claim an hour's overtime pay; if he is less than an hour and a half late, he can only claim one hour overtime, but if he is more than an hour and a half late he can claim two hours, and so on. Overtime is computed on a basis of ten miles per hour.

Moot Court.

Thomas Hultz vs. Miss Clara Campbell, was a moot court case, which came up at the College Saturday evening, the suit being brought by Mr. Hultz to recover the value of \$200 worth of candy which he had at various times given to the defendant. The decision of the jury was that he was entitled to damages in the sum of ten cents.

Lost a Day.

A farmer drove to Dixon with his wife yesterday to buy a plow. He also had a basket of eggs aboard his lumber wagon. He could raise no one at the Grand Detour plow shops except the watchman, who informed him that the company did no business on Sunday. The man was much surprised for he thought it was Saturday. He disposed of his eggs and drove back home.

Revival at the Lutheran Church.

A two weeks series of revival services will commence this evening in St. Paul's Lutheran church. Rev. Martin Luther Bright will preach, and the music will be led by Professor Krinbill and a chorus of young people. A most cordial invitation is extended to everyone to attend these meetings.

Out for Town Clerk.

Henry Dey this morning circulated a petition as an independent candidate for the office of town clerk. He is finding ready support among his friends.

—A watch fob which blew out of some one's pocket in North Dixon yesterday may be found at J. R. Carpenter's.

SEED TIME IS HERE

We Have a Carefully Selected Stock of Garden Seed in Bulk

A Carload of Early Ohio, Beauty of Hebron, Early Rose, Carmine No. 3 and Rural New York; Northern Grown Seed Potatoes.

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Sweet Peas and Nasturtium Seed by the pound.

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DIXONITES

You may be interested in photography and you may not. Whether you've taken much interest in it in the past or not, you certainly will be interested in the North Dixon High School.

Art Loan Exhibit

on the 21st and 22nd insts. It promises to be one of the finest exhibitions of its kind that the people of Dixon have had an opportunity to enjoy in a long while. A feature of exhibit will be a collection of pictures, local and foreign scenes, taken with Eastman kodaks.

By the way, you amateurs have a chance at two prizes, two Eastman kodaks. We're going to give an Eastman kodak for the best and second best specimens of photography submitted by amateurs.

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COMING EVENTS
March 20—Peek's Bad Boy.
March 21-22—Art loan exhibit.
March 22—County central examination.
March 26—A Thoroughbred Tramp.
March 28—Vogel & Deming's Minstrels.
March 31—Catholic Temperance Society Eleventh Annual Ball.
April 2—Dixon Macnnerchor, Masquerade.
April 2—Parlett the Humorist.
April 12—County final examinations.
June 3—Republican County Convention.

Give Us More Credit.
The Polo Press says: "Dixon city council has appropriated \$500 for the coming year for the Dixon hospital. A city with a half dozen or more licensed saloons ought to do more than that for its city hospital."
"Bless your innocence, our hospital is not a charity institution, and it is the intention to make it as near as possible self-supporting, while affording opportunity for individual and municipal appreciation. The council makes an annual appropriation of \$500, and a generous public show their interest in the institution in a very practical way. Then, again, you haven't given us credit (if it is a creditable thing) for half enough licensed saloons, of which we have an even score; and these no doubt contribute their share to keep the hospital running."

PREPARING FOR THE EXHIBIT
North Side Schools Will Have Art Loan Exhibit Next Friday and Saturday.
A LIST OF SOME OF THE PICTURES
Sent by the Chicago Art Education Company—Much Interest Shown—Pupils Preparing for Contests.

The Chicago Art Education Company will exhibit the following splendid productions at the art loan on the North Side March 21 and 22. These pictures may be purchased either for home decoration or for school use. Prices range from forty cents to nine dollars each:
Is Color
The Setting Sun..... Revere
Landscape..... Revere
2 Fra Angelico Angels..... Revere
1 Madonna of the Chair.....
1 Barabara Madonna.....
The Tow Path.....
Grand Canal, Venice.....
2 Japanese Prints.....
In Blossom Time.....
The Plow..... Fitz-Roy Print
CARBONS—
St. Cecilia..... Donatello (Green)
At the Hearth..... P. Hochs
High Life and Low Life..... Landseer
Distinguished Member of Humane Society.....
The Prairie..... Dupre
Feeding the Chickens..... Millet
IMPORTED FOREIGN PHOTOS—
A Calm Sea..... Mesdag
The Nest..... Croissy
Cat and Kittens..... S. Ronner
Evening..... Ter Meulen
The Gleamer..... Breton
Ploughing..... Bonheur
The Matinee..... Corat
Spring..... Corat
The Little Seamstress..... Daubigny
The Escaped Cow..... Dupre
The Little Seamstress..... Dupre
Madonna..... Israels
Return of Cattle..... Muller
COPIES PRINTS PLATINUMS—
Industry..... Dielman
Shedherd's Lane..... Manve
Georgia Pines..... Innes
Hope and memory..... Cox
Hope..... Burne Jones
The Children's Hour..... Taylor
Watchers by the Sea..... Ariz
Labor..... Pierce
Fog Warning..... Winslow Homer
PHOTOGRAPHY—
Anxious Heart..... Dicksee
4 Views of Venice.....
Greek Girls Playing Ball..... Leighton
Moonlight on the Lulder Lee.....
An Old Bridge..... Volkenn
The Nursery..... Waterlow
Approaching Night..... J. Ray
CARBON—
Orpheus..... Cora
The Broken Pitcher..... Grenze
The Sower..... Millet
Beggar Children..... Murillo
COLOR—
Landscape in Brittany..... Cassiers
The Little Queen..... Berton
Mother and Child..... Tolmouche
PHOTOGRAPHY—
Bring Home the New Born Calf.....
Girl With Muff..... Mme LeBrun
Also a collection of Posters by Mucha, Ferne and a fine display of Easter pictures.

The Dixon Mercantile Co.
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EIGHTY-SIXTH BIRTHDAY.
Odd Fellows of Lee, Ogle and Whiteside Counties to Meet in Sterling, April 26th—Forty Lodges Represented
Sterling Gazette: The eighty-sixth anniversary of the organization of the Independent order of Odd Fellows will be celebrated in this city on an elaborate scale by the Tri-County Anniversary Association on Saturday, April 25th. The Tri-County Association includes all the lodges in Lee, Ogle and Whiteside counties and over forty lodges will be represented here on that day. It is expected that several hundred members of the order will congregate in this city on that day of Odd Fellows festivity, making it one of the greatest jubilees held by that order in this city since the famous anniversary of eight or ten years ago.
The Sixth Regiment band has been engaged for all day and evening and music will be a prominent feature of the merrymaking. The band, with a reception committee from the local lodge, will meet the visiting delegations at the trains in the morning and will escort them to the hall, where arrangements will be made for their entertainment.
The afternoon program will begin with a grand parade. The procession will form in front of the L. O. O. F. hall and will march through the principal streets of the city, disbanding at the Academy of Music, where an excellent program will be rendered as follows:
Selection by the band.
Prayer, Rev. E. Lee Fleck.
Address of Welcome, Mayor J. R. Johnson.
Selection by Male Quartet.
Address by officer of Grand Lodge.
America, by entire audience.
At 5 o'clock in the afternoon a business meeting of the delegates from the various lodges will be held in the L. O. O. F. hall. In the evening a good musical and literary program will be rendered in the hall. This program has not yet been arranged, but will be something unusually good. After the program the rest of the evening will

be spent in dancing, and everything possible will be done to make the occasion one long to be remembered by the visitors. The officers of the Tri-county Association are all residents of this city. They are: President, B. F. Hendricks; vice-president, John G. Koberstine; secretary, S. S. Sigler; treasurer, Dr. S. S. Kehr.
A Tribute to the Country Editor.
Gen. Smith D. Atkins believes in the country newspaper. He says: I would rather publish a good country weekly paper enjoying its privileges, its parts in the affairs of the community, the government, and the state, than to own a Standard Oil company. I prefer to engage in some kind of business that has something higher than the dollar side, a business that bears some relation to humanity and society. If I were asked today, what is the greatest safeguard in time of national danger, threatened lawlessness, or anarchy, I would say it is the clean, unimpeachable country newspaper of the land."

Burket School.
Following is the report of the Burket School for the month ending, March 11, 1902:
Number of days taught, 20.
Number of days attendance, 381.
Average attendance, 19.
Number pupils enrolled, 26.
Pupils not absent during the month: Laura Ankeny, Emma Luthi, Leon Burket, Roy Ankeny.
Pupils who made an average of 90 per cent or over for the month were Cecile Cortright, Emma Luthi, Myrtle Herbst, Laura Ankeny, Harry Ankeny, Leon Burket.
MINNIE DECKER, Teacher.
Annual Meeting of Central Illinois Association—Peoria, Ill., March 21, 22, 1902.
On March 20th and 21st the Illinois Central will sell excursion tickets to Peoria and return at rate of one fare of \$2.74 for the round trip. Tickets will be limited to return March 23, 1902.
One Way Second Class Colonists Rates to California.
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If you suffer from ulcers, eczema, scrofula, blood poison, cancer, eating sores, itching skin, pimples, boils, bone aches, swellings, rheumatism, catarrh, or any blood or skin diseases, we advise you to take Botanic Blood Balm (B. B. B.). Especially recommended for old, obstinate, deep-seated cases of malignant blood or skin diseases, because Botanic Blood Balm (B. B. B.) kills the poison in the blood cures where all else fails, heals every sore, makes the blood pure and rich, gives the skin the rich glow of health. B. B. B., the most perfect blood purifier made. Thoroughly tested for 30 years. Cost \$1 per large bottle at drug stores. To introduce it, sample of Blood Balm, sent free by writing Blood Balm Co., Atlantic Ga. Describe trouble and free medical advice also given. Sold in Dixon by Kelly, the druggist.

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The most miserable beings in the world are those suffering from Dyspepsia and Liver Complaint. More than seventy-five per cent of the people in the United States are afflicted with these two diseases and their effects such as Sour Stomach, Sick Headache, Habitual Constipation, Palpitation of the Heart, Heartburn, Waterbrash, Gnauling and Burning Pains at the Pit of the Stomach, Yellow Skin, Coated Tongue and Disagreeable Taste in the Mouth, Coming up of Food after Eating, Low Spirit, etc. Go to your Druggist and get a bottle of August Flower for 75 cents. Two doses will relieve you. Try it. Get Green's Special Almanac. E. M. Bunell Drug Co.

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O H, the sight was entrancing when green plumes were dancing and horses were prancing in marshaled array and the banners of green waved over the sheen of the trappings of battle, the blaze and the rattle, that fired all our hearts that St. Patrick's day!

I stood in the sidewalk crowd that St. Patrick's day, a young newspaper man off duty, thrilled, like all the rest, because of my Irish blood. Ah, but how suddenly each rising cheer was stifled, how quickly each throat choked with shame and each tear filled eye flashed rage and revengeful longing as the leading band of the parade, swinging into Main street, changed its lively tune to one which spoke to Irish memory in tones of shame and helpless anger, the old homeland refrain:

She's the most distressful country that ever you have seen; They're hanging men and women there for wearing of the green.

A well dressed young woman, tall and graceful, blue eyed and dark haired, darted into the roadway out of the mass of police penned sidewalk enthusiasts. Facing the oncoming band and horsemen, she raised her hand with a gesture as imperious as graceful.

"Stop!" she cried. The band leader signaled, the wailing dirge of freedom



ELLEN CALLS FOR THE PLAN THAT WILL FREE IRELAND.

stopped and the command of "Halt!" thundered along the whole line. The grand marshal glided forward on his fiery horse, a picturesque figure of green and gold, to where she stood. As he did so another good looking young man left the sidewalk and took her gently by the arm.

"Come back, Ellen. What's the matter?" he cried in chiding wonder. "Let her arm go, McGowan!" cried the grand marshal, angrily jumping from his horse and sweeping loose the other's hold of her. "What is it, Ellen, dear?" he asked her gently.

"It's just this," cried she, trembling now in her waning passion and with the tears starting from her fine eyes, "that I and plenty more like me object to seeing Irishmen having no better to say for Ireland than that she's a country distressed. Crying over it in music or any other way won't do. If the hope of freeing our country was in your hearts, 'twould sound from your bands on St. Patrick's day, of all days. Stop crying, men. Do something! And let your music tell the world that you mean to do it!"

The crowd, breaking bounds and swirling around, had heard most of this impassioned speech and approved mightily with cheering and waving of hats and flags. The young grand marshal looked very sheepish. He shook McGowan roughly by the shoulder.

"I want you, Mr. Michael McGowan," said he, "to keep away from this young lady altogether."

"I want you to understand, Mr. Pat O'Hara, that while Miss Ellen Morris is engaged to no one you're welcome to pay attentions to her, but I'll win her. Come, Ellen."

The crowd murmured approval of the more manly declaration of McGowan. O'Hara, goaded to ferocity, advanced upon him, but the fair cause of the awkward situation stepped back between them and, with a hand of restraint against each man's shoulder and with cheeks aflame, cried:

"In presence of all here I pledge myself to be the bride of the man that brings me on this spot next St. Patrick's day the plan that'll free Ireland!"

There was a deep silence. The eyes of McGowan and O'Hara shot each other a fierce acceptance of the conditions imposed. The fiery young woman, moving back in the throng with McGowan, raised her hand once more and began to sing. Instantly a thousand voices were ringing forth that good old song of the hope of Erin:

"And will Ireland then be free? Says the Shan Van Vocht; Will Ireland then be free? Says the Shan Van Vocht;

Yes, Ireland shall be free From the center to the sea; Then hurrah for liberty! Says the Shan Van Vocht."

The whole column took up the chorus, the bands all did likewise, but the music of brass and sheepskin was drowned and lost in that swelling sea of Irish vocal melody.

"You'll see misfortune come of this," whispered old Mulvihill to me. I edged away from him with a shiver such as the March wind could not cause. Mulvihill had the reputation of possessing second sight and some ability in fairy sorcery. The last marching body had just gone by. I turned out of the crowd and made my way home to my own Ellen, my young bride.

"Ellen Morris!" she cried when I told her the story. "Oh, can't you find out where she lives? I'd give the world to see her. We went to school together in Ballinashee, and we were such great friends!"

I promised to ask old Mulvihill, who would be sure to find out, even by the normal method of inquiring, if he did not already know. As I had often told my wife something about his alleged powers, this caused her to say:

"Well, I'm no more superstitious than you, but they used to say in our neighborhood that one woman in the family of this Ellen Morris in every generation must be a bride of the dead. I never got it clearly into my head what they meant, but her mother, a beautiful woman, died when Ellen was born, and they used to speak of her as having been taken away in some supernatural way. But tell me now, don't you think Miss Morris is much handsomer than your own little Nellie?"

Every husband and every wife, too, knows my answer. I grew in esteem. Mulvihill found Miss Morris for us. She was keeping house for her father a few blocks away. He had come to America a few years before, bringing with him plenty of money and his one child.

"She's in love with O'Hara, but her father doesn't like him," confided my wife to me after the queenly Ellen Morris had visited her one day.

"That means that McGowan will have to be content with the presidency of Ireland when he frees it," laughed I.

"No, she'd marry him. You don't know her spunk. She'd keep her word, though she's growing to hate the sight of him."

"We must invite O'Hara to dinner," said I, "and her majesty also. I'm curious to know what steps he's taking in the direction of winning glory and the bride."

I came to know that he was a thrifty young man, who kept a downtown grocery store. He was born in America. His rival had the seeming advantage of being from the same townland with the Morris in Ireland. The latter filled the humble post of a street railroad conductor.

We had the dinner one Sunday close to Christmas. My wife and I found O'Hara a very fine fellow, full of fun and good nature and pretty well versed in affairs. But, oh, how hungry his eyes devoured the regal beauty of Ellen Morris, and how he glowed in the brilliancy of her wit, which was a



O'HARA LAUGHED LOUD AND LONG. "DREAM AGAIN!" SAID HE.

match for her physical charms! Half jealously, I asked him whether his project were formed.

"No, no," interrupted Miss Morris. "He must not speak of it in my presence, not until the appointed time. I want him to perfect it, and I want him to have no advantage over any and all others."

"All others? I understood there was but one other," I ventured.

"No," she said; "what I pledged was that I would be the bride of him who brings me the right plan, whoever he may be."

"And why," asked I, "did you form this strange resolve?"

"It was not a resolve. It was a sudden impulse which I could not control."

I remembered old Mulvihill's words

and my wife's story, and my skin crept. O'Hara, as we sat alone over our cigars, told me his plan. He also told me of McGowan's deriding it. His own was to organize an invincible Irish army in America and land it in Ireland under the guise of a grand influx of tourists and visitors to a great national fair and series of fetes, which he would also organize. Arms would be landed from France.

"McGowan," he said, with a sneer, "would bring home rule from England by parliamentary obstruction, backed by an Irish made boycott of goods made in England."

He talked as if the enemy had neither eyes nor spies. Poor Ireland!

I stood unseen in the grand parliament hall of Tara, where gold studded shields hung high on the walls above the assembled chiefs, bards and lawgivers and their noble king. I heard the harps of the seven chief musicians ring out the royal welcome to the priestly Patrick. I saw the shamrock symbol upraised in his hand.

Swiftly passed his discourse, and king and chief and bard smiled proudly as he told of the coming grandeur of Erin, of her teachers going forth from numerous schools to spread that civilization wherein the maid in the golden girdle walks safely alone in city and glen by night or day. Quickly passed he to a day of dread and desolation, and the harps seemed to murmur low in a peculiar strain the sadness, shame and fury of an outraged, helpless people! Fiercely the chiefs leaped to their feet and swore by Baal, the sun god. It could never be; that they would rise from the dead and fight to forfeit it if enough live manhood were not left in Erin to do it. The king raised his scepter to bid the priest cease.

"Noble king," said the old man, and the words burned themselves into my brain, "I prophesy a further day of glory, the day when the womanhood of Erin will make itself the wedlock blessed prize of patriotism. In that day the oppressor will be strongest of nations upon the waters, but for that cause the weakest of the nations beneath the waters. Irish genius will discover the engine of war that fights beneath the sea. It will be within the power and command of the weakest of peoples; it will be no more than launched when the oppressor will hail as conqueror the victim of 700 years of tyranny, and the rancor of ages will give place to brotherhood beneath the kindly kingless rule of a whole people, to be linked in time with another such brotherhood beyond the sea."

The cheers of the assemblage awoke me. I was fully awake at once and pondering over the strange dream or vision. It clearly related to the submarine boat to which as a possible means of Irish liberation I had never given a thought. Why had the idea come in sleep? Why to me?

"That man I will have, no matter who he may be!" That was the sense of what she said, with her burning eyes fixed on me.

Misfortune was to come of it. So said old Mulvihill. God help me!

But, bless my own Nellie, how straight a path her woman's wit pointed out to me when I told her at breakfast about the vision. Clapping her hands in joy, she said:

"Go straight down town and tell Mr. O'Hara. It's a plan to be proud of. 'Twill win the bride, and it may win more."

I saw my friend O'Hara at noon that day, told him of the vision and added many suggestions which had occurred to me all morning as to how the submarine scheme could be best utilized. I had written the plan out so that he might study it, illustrating it with a rough sketch of a submarine boat.

"Boats could be built in France," I wrote, "as an intended present for the French government. They could be prepared for operation in the channel. I firmly believe that by the possession of a few of them Ireland could get all her demands for the asking."

O'Hara leaned toward me across his counter and laughed loud and long. "Dream again!" said he, slapping me on the shoulder.

"I will send this to Mr. McGowan," said I in a huff, putting the paper in my pocket.

"Oh, do; do me the favor!" he cried merrily, and then, as if suddenly seized with an important idea, he gravely said:

"No, no, old man; let me have it." I gave it to him, wondering.

On St. Patrick's eve Mr. O'Hara and his bride to be were our guests at tea. I read the faces of both eagerly when they came in for a sign that they had heard the dreadful news which I was withholding from my wife lest the very horror of it should attract her to the place of the contest next day. She was in delicate health, and I feared that the scene there arranged for might kill her.

Old Mulvihill had told me about it. The whole town was talking of it, yet no one seemed to have told these two. O'Hara jealously mentioned McGowan, and the queenly one merrily held up a reproving finger. It was certain that they had not heard the news.

On going O'Hara lingered to whisper: "McGowan is sick. He won't be there tomorrow. But he has had his plan all on paper for a week past and in Mulvihill's hands. I win anyhow. Good night."

Why didn't I tell him? Did fate forbid?

Next morning I was standing in a dense crowd at the Main street corner. It was a greatly excited crowd. Soon I saw her, noble and beautiful, sitting in a carriage with her father. I saw the evil eyed Mulvihill hovering near. Vainly my eyes searched for O'Hara.

Mulvihill approached me just as I had noticed, with a great thumping of

my heart, a funeral half block away. Down Main street sounded faintly the first notes of the paraders' band.

"I have it here in this paper!" said old Mulvihill, showing an envelope. "It was poor McGowan's last wish, and I must do it. It was attending meetings and making speeches that killed him."

To the proud, triumphant notes of "O'Donnell Aboe," telling of glorious deeds on the banks of the Bann, swung into view the gay plumes of green, the prancing steeds and all the splendor of the parade. John Moran was grand marshal. As he reached the corner the funeral procession came forward as if to meet his. He gave the signal to halt.

I saw Miss Ellen Morris arise, alight, ghastly white, and go to the opened door of the hearse. I saw Patrick O'Hara approach and stand beside her with his handkerchief to his eyes. Then she turned to the people, and, leaning a hand to support her on the edge of the coffin, she said faintly:

"I had a vision. I saw St. Patrick himself. He told me how Ireland might be freed—by a boat."

Old Mulvihill crept up and, whispering a word, put an open letter into her hand.

It was not the letter he had shown to me. It was my plan! O'Hara with a look of terror and agony on his face snatched the paper from her, but not before she had glanced at the picture on it. Her father, muttering, "What's all this; what's all this?" elbowed his way to her. Upon her face there was a look of horror terrible to see as she slowly stretched her arms toward her father, kissed him and shrieked:

"I am the bride of the dead!"

She fell against the coffin through the open door of the hearse. They thought it was but a swoon. No.

Mulvihill defied the upraised fist of the furious O'Hara. "If you do, I'll tell that you paid me to do it!" was the threat he screamed.

The parade moved on without music. The funeral turned back. These two were buried together.

And will Ireland then be free? Says the Shan Van Vocht.

HUMAN HEAD HUNTERS.

The Savages of Polynesia Still Ply This Horrible Trade.

In the scarce known islands of the Pacific sea—New Guinea, Borneo, Ceram, Gilolo and others too numerous to mention—man still exists in the primeval state, and that most horrible of practices, head hunting, is still indulged in in spite of all efforts of various governments and missions as well as philanthropic societies who have come in contact with the people.

Just as the scalp lock on the belt of the young buck Indian was a token of manhood, so the gory head impaled on a tall pole over the hut of the would be young warrior, Papuan or Dayak, proclaims to all the prowess of the youth, henceforth a man and eligible for the council and the wooing of the maidens. It is immaterial how the trophy be obtained, whether by ambush or in fair battle. Generally it is the former. The candidate for martial honors simply waits his chance by night in some neighboring village as craftily and patiently as a leopard on the prowl, the kris or a poisoned arrow does the work swiftly and silently, and the severed head has ample time to cool before the deed is discovered and calls for retribution.

Thus an incessant vendetta and carnage go on, and only by living in inaccessible forests and strongly stockaded places is it possible at all for the tribes to save themselves from annihilation. Of the vast island continent of New Guinea the western or Dutch part is the worst looked after, and it often happens that numerous raiding parties in their great war canoes come swooping down the coast before the northwest monsoon and carry death and desolation into the comparatively quiet British portion around the mighty Fly river, opposite Torres strait. By the time the news is carried to Thursday island and the gunboat starts away in pursuit it is generally too late, and the marauders have vanished.

The writer was present once at the capture of a war party, and forty-eight heads were taken from the canoes. Hanging and deportation to penal servitude seem to be but a slight deterrent, for the terror recurs almost as regularly as a plague of locusts. These Papuans are a hardy, warlike people and expert bowmen, and they rely on their skill with this potent weapon solely, using their clubs for the dispatch of wounded foes.

The Dayaks of Borneo and their neighbors, on the other hand, are in favor of the "sumpitan" or blowpipe, shooting little diminutive but very cunningly poisoned arrows. The "sumpitan" has often a spear head attached to the outer end, like a bayonet on a musket. For close fighting they rely on the dreaded "parang," a heavy, hollow ground broadsword about two feet long, with the handle often carved of ivory and ornamented with gold and pearls, the wooden scabbard covered with human skin and hair.

They count him a poor warrior who cannot sever a head clean with one blow delivered backhanded. Even in a mountainous part of the Malay peninsula, north of Malacca, in the Dindings and Heiri Sembilan, there is to this day a remnant tribe of head hunters called the Sa Kl.

Proved His Love.

"Are you sure it is really and truly love?" she asked.

"Positive," answered the practical young man who had just proposed. "I tested it."

"Tested it?"

"Yes. I doctored myself for indigestion for two weeks before definitely deciding just what the symptoms meant."

—Chicago Post.

Suit to Set Aside a Will.

Springfield, Ills., March 17.—Suit has been entered in the circuit court of Sangamon county to set aside the will of Dr. J. L. Million, a prominent physician of Springfield, who died recently leaving an estate valued at over \$100,000. Those interested in the proceedings are John L. Million, Jr., and his wife and Mary Jane Million, widow of the decedent, who don't like the way the property was divided.

WANTS A STATE OFFICE

Fair Aspirant Who Would Run for the School Superintendency at Next Election.

OLD GLORY BARRED OUT OF CHURCH

German Lutheran Minister Offends the Grand Army—Prominent Citizen Does Homicide.

Mound City, Ills., March 17.—Hester M. Smith, of this city, has issued cards announcing her candidacy for superintendent of public instruction, subject to the action of the Republican state convention. Miss Smith says she intends to make a canvass of the state and her friends declare she will have strong support in Egypt when the state convention meets. Miss Smith has devoted her life to school work in southern Illinois and taught in a rural school in her home district at the age of 16. She taught in the various grades of the Mound City schools and finally was named to be principal of the Mound City high school. In 1882 she was elected superintendent of schools of Pulaski county, a position which she still holds.

Primary Elections in Sangamon. Springfield, Ills., March 17.—The Democrats of Sangamon county held their primary election, selecting delegates to attend the county convention to be held in this city next Tuesday. A large vote was cast all over the county. Instructions were given for Representative Caldwell for re-election in the new Twenty-first congressional district, for George W. Funderburg for appellate clerk, and for Thomas Rees for state senator in the new Forty-fifth senatorial district. A county ticket was selected.

Here's Another Wants the Post. Pinckneyville, Ills., March 17.—Perry county Republicans in convention have launched the candidacy of Walter R. Kinsey for the nomination of state superintendent of public instruction. Mr. W. Adams, George Robb, G. F. Mead, Elmer Brown, Clarence Blakeslee and Walter Parks were selected as delegates to the state convention. They are unopposed except as to Professor Kinsey's candidacy.

McLean County Republicans. Bloomington, Ills., March 17.—At the McLean county Republican primaries John A. Sterling, representative in congress, and the Dawes-Sherman combination won a decisive victory over J. H. Rowell and the Yates-Larimer-Hopkins opposition. Duncan M. Funk, candidate for re-nomination for a fourth term in the legislature, was defeated by Wesley Owens, a young lawyer.

FLAG NOT ALLOWED IN THE CHURCH

German Lutheran Minister Bars Old Glory at a Funeral.

Mascoutah, Ills., March 17.—The Rev. J. C. Ambacher, pastor of the German Lutheran church, refused to permit a United States flag to be carried into his church by a G. A. R. post. The old soldiers marched away from the church and took no part in the funeral of Conrad Meyer, a veteran of the civil war. The funeral was under the auspices of the post.

The hearse was followed to the church by the veterans. As the flag bearer reached the door he was stopped by the pastor. Fred Dilg, captain of the post, demanded an explanation. He was told that the rules of the church did not admit of the flag being borne inside. The captain commanded the old soldiers to about face and marched them back to their headquarters.

Westerfield Remains in Jail.

Springfield, Ills., March 17.—William Westerfield, who attempted to purchase the printing establishment of H. W. Rolker, of this city, for \$25,000, claiming that he would pay therefor when he had floated certain bonds of the Westerfield company, of New Jersey, was brought before United States Commissioner Kidd charged with using the mails to defraud. He was put under \$2,000 bonds to await action of the federal grand jury. In default he went to jail.

Suicide of a Drummer.

Springfield, Ills., March 17.—A traveling salesman for the Diamond Medicine company, of Kansas City, Mo., who had letters on his person addressed to George West, but is known here as N. B. Dawson, was found dead in his room at a boarding house. He had attached a rubber tube to his nose, the end of which he placed under the bed covering. He left a note asking that his wife, Mrs. H. L. Dawson, New York city, be notified.

Old Grudge Ends in the Usual Way.

Hidalgo, Ills., March 17.—David Williams, a prominent citizen of this place, shot and killed Edward Ortmann. An old grudge had existed between the two men, and Ortmann, it is alleged, had threatened Williams' life a number of times. Ortmann went into Williams' drug store and placed his hand on his hip pocket. Williams then commenced firing, and shot eleven times, eight bullets taking effect. Ortmann was killed instantly.

Would Have Bucket Shops to "Go."

Springfield, Ills., March 17.—Bills for injunction have been filed in the United States court here by the Postal, Western Union, Chicago and Milwaukee and the Cleveland Telegraph companies asking that a large number of central Illinois firms and individuals, now operating bucket shops, be restrained and enjoined from receiving or in any way using the market quotations of the Chicago Board of Trade.

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Weather Indications

CHICAGO, Ill., March 17 9:50 a. m.—The following are the weather indications for Northern Illinois:

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Temperature and Precipitation.

For the week commencing March 16, 1902.

	Max.	Min.	Precip.
Sunday	51	14	—
Monday	—	2	—
Tuesday	—	—	—
Wednesday	—	—	—
Thursday	—	—	—
Friday	—	—	—
Saturday	—	—	—

RAILROAD TIME TABLE

CHICAGO AND NORTHWESTERN RAILROAD

EAST BOUND		WEST BOUND	
No. 8... 2:25 a. m. A	No. 1... 10:23 p. m. A	No. 7... 3:45 p. m. A	No. 11... 7:51 p. m. A
No. 6... 4:37 a. m. A	No. 10... 1:34 p. m. A	No. 12... 5:55 p. m. A	No. 9... 2:57 p. m. A
No. 16... 5:55 a. m. A	No. 11... 7:51 p. m. A	No. 13... 7:32 a. m. C	No. 17... 6:47 p. m. C
No. 2... 7:08 a. m. A	No. 3... 2:57 p. m. A	No. 12... 10:14 a. m. C	No. 13... 10:17 a. m. C
No. 15... 7:32 a. m. C	No. 17... 6:47 p. m. C	No. 14... 3:50 p. m. C	No. 5... 12:22 p. m. A
No. 12... 10:14 a. m. C	No. 13... 10:17 a. m. C	No. 28... 5:15 p. m. S	No. 25... 9:42 p. m. A
No. 14... 3:50 p. m. C	No. 5... 12:22 p. m. A	No. 4... 6:02 p. m. A	Peoria P., 291, 10 a. m.
No. 28... 5:15 p. m. S	No. 25... 9:42 p. m. A	Peoria Pass., No. 290 arrive... 5:50 p. m.	

FREIGHT TRAINS CARRYING PASSENGERS.

TRAINS GOING EAST. TRAINS GOING WEST.

No. 134... 8:40 a. m. C No. 131... 11:15 a. m. S

A—Daily. C—Daily except Sunday S—Sunday only.

TRAINS CARRYING MAIL—EAST MAIL.

No. 8—Atlantic Express, mail.
No. 10—Sterling Passenger, mail.
No. 12—Cedar Rapids Passenger, mail.
No. 4—Colorado Special, mail.

WEST BOUND

No. 1—Overland Flyer, through mail.
No. 3—Pacific Express, mail.
No. 5—Colorado Special, mail.
No. 17—Sterling Passenger, mail.

ILLINOIS CENTRAL RAILROAD.

TRAINS GOING SOUTH TRAINS GOING NORTH

Centrals P. 2:35 a. m.
Through... 10:32 a. m.
Decatur... 4:32 p. m.
Freight... 10:30 a. m.

Dequene P... 9:46 p. m.
Through... 5:40 p. m.
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CANADIAN GIANT.

Edward Beupre Undoubtedly the Tallest Man on Earth.

Dame Nature has apparently outdone herself in Edward Beupre, the young French-Canadian giant, who bids fair to outrival the fabled one-eyed giant Polyphemus of Homer's time, while he outtops by several feet modern competitors.

Beupre therefore enjoys the proud distinction of being the tallest man on earth. He is 30 years old, tips the scales at 587 pounds, and stands 10 feet 11 inches high, his hands measuring 19 inches and his feet 24 inches by 12 wide. A two-yard tape measure barely encircles his chest.

Each of his trousers legs can contain the figures of two ordinary persons, and there is sufficient cloth in one of his suits to outfit ten average men. The massive framework of each of his outstretched arms will bear the weight of three athletes. A man 5 feet 10 inches by this side appears a mere pigmy.

One of the peculiarities about Beupre is that his father and mother were of ordinary size. From his youth he has been a great gymnast, and has given much time to athletic sport.—New York Herald.

WILL SELL LINCOLN FARM.

Old Home of Martyred President To Be Disposed of for Taxes.

The old Lincoln farm, in the heart of Lincoln City, Spencer county, Ind., will in a few days be sold for delinquent taxes. For years the taxes on the farm has not been paid and the county officials decided the best thing to do was to offer the farm for sale. Attempts heretofore have been made to turn the farm into a park and it has been proposed that congress make an appropriation for the purpose.

The old cottage that stood on the farm and in which Abraham Lincoln lived, was removed to New York many years ago and was sold for several thousand dollars. The commissioners of Spencer county have received many letters from people over the country wanting to buy the farm, and bidders doubtless will be numerous when the tax sale is held. The mother of Lincoln is buried on the farm. The burial lot is kept in good condition by the commissioners. The county received a deed for the lot several years ago.

The late Governor Mount of that state was an advocate of turning the farm into a park and brought the matter to the attention of the legislature, but nothing was done.

SUBURBAN SIFTINGS.

Hints and Happenances in Surrounding Towns and Villages.

NELSON.

March 17—A large number in the village are ill with grip and colds.

Prof. Clare Wetzel spent Saturday with his cousins, the Phillips Bros. Hazel Anthony was also there for a day's visit.

Those who attended the Henry Landis funeral in Rock Falls Thursday were Mr. and Mrs. John McKinstry, Mrs. J. B. Stitzel, Clarence and Gertrude, Messrs. Wilbur Phillips, Sloane McKinstry and Anthony. This is the third brother, Mrs. McKinstry has lost in less than a year.

Ben Landis visited his sister, Mrs. McKinstry and niece, Mrs. J. B. Stitzel Friday and departed for his home in Minnesota.

We understand Lucius Parks has sold his stock, farm, machinery, etc., and will move to Rock Falls or Sterling. The community will reluctantly part with Mr. and Mrs. Parks.

A. J. Hollenbeck has been bothered by strange dogs worrying his stock. One night the fore part of the week they killed eight choice shoats, which is a considerable loss. Any strange dogs hereafter will meet with a warm reception, should they visit his premises again, and are seen by him.

F. W. Parks has been tending one of Job's pets the past week.

The sixth boy made his appearance at the home of Section Foreman Krug Friday.

David Reed and family have moved to Nelson and are staying at the McKinstry home until Henry Elgin can vacate the property Mr. Reed recently purchased. Mr. Elgin contemplates building.

Hugh Merriam spent Sunday at the J. B. Stitzel home. He goes to take a position of civil engineering at Winnipeg for the Canadian Pacific.

Nebraska "Bug Eaters."

A Nebraska judge was asked how it was that the citizens of his state were nicknamed "bug eaters."

"The name is applied to us sometimes in the east," answered the judge frankly. "It originated many years ago in a peculiar way, incident to a speech. Back in 1874 a swarm of grasshoppers descended upon our fair state and despoiled everything. Crops were swept away before this army of insects, and the people were left destitute. An appeal went up for aid, and some of our eloquent Nebraskans journeyed east to plead our cause. One of these eloquent citizens in a flight of speech declared that the voracious grasshoppers had even eaten the tires off wagon wheels and were devouring the railroad tracks. 'Why, our people have nothing but grasshoppers and bugs,' was the climax of this orator's speech," exclaimed the judge.

"And now you have the history of the sobriquet of 'bug eaters,'" he concluded.—Washington Post.

Many Go to Colorado.

Fifty thousand people spent their vacations in Colorado last summer. At least the railroads report that many tourist tickets sold.

—Chas. Willey is ill.

—Mrs. James Rice is quite ill.

—Mrs. I. D. Reynolds is recovering from pneumonia.

—C. H. Wooster, states attorney, was up from Amboy today.

—The Dixon band will practice tomorrow night and not this evening.

—Roy Curtis was here from Sterling visiting friends yesterday and today.

—George Brown today started on the road with samples for the Allen Confectionery Co. of Pontiac.

—Judge R. S. Farrand is home from Chicago, where he has been assisting Judge Carter in court work.

—Mr. and Mrs. David Alpaugh have gone to Andrews, Indiana, to visit his parents, Mr. and T. B. Alpaugh.

—Lester Street went to Chicago today and from there goes to Baraboo, Wis., where he has accepted a position as civil engineer for the Chicago & Northwestern.

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BIGGEST RAFT ON RECORD.

Eleven Million Feet of Lumber in the Mass Now Floating Down the Mississippi.

The steamer Saturn and the bow-boat Satellite float down the Mississippi, says the LaCrosse Press, ready to undergo the greatest feat in the line of raft driving ever attempted on the Mississippi. Captain Winans left Davenport Tuesday with Pilot Pete O'Rourke and Chief Levi King to take the steamers out of dry dock.

The task which the captain will undertake is to drive a raft from Fountain City to St. Louis, containing three times as much lumber as any raft that ever traversed the waters of the Mississippi.

The raft is a pickup raft which was stalled in its present location by the low water last fall. It is eighty rods long and sixteen wide, and is so constructed that it may be divided into two pieces eight rods wide at points where the river is too narrow to permit it to pass. The raft proper varies from 26 to 30 inches in depth and contains 9,000,000 feet of lumber. On top of this is piled 2,000 feet of loose lumber, and on top of that are carloads of shingles, lath and pickets. It would require ten heavy freight trains to carry this loose small lumber alone.

Dr. Conwell at the Assembly.

Those who heard Dr. Russell Conwell in his great lecture "Acres of Diamonds," at the Rock River Assembly Chautauqua last summer, will be delighted to learn that the entertainment committee are negotiating with him and have good prospect of securing the reverend gentleman for another lecture at the assembly auditorium during the chautauqua season next summer.

Grass Fire.

The fire department was this afternoon called to the rear of the houses at the end of Chamberlain street, where a grass fire was raging on the Illinois Central right of way. A lead of hose 700 feet long was laid and the fire was soon extinguished. It is supposed that the fire originated from sparks from a passing locomotive.

Birthday Anniversary.

Today was the thirteenth birthday anniversary of Miss Genevieve Well and this afternoon her mother, Mrs. C. A. Well, entertained twenty-four young people in her honor. This evening twenty-six more of the friends of Miss Well will enjoy a party at the Well home at No. 1019 Peoria avenue.

Peach Blossoms.

A. R. Rutt received this morning from his son, Lorin, who is at Crescent, Louisiana, a box of peach blossoms. This came as a breath of summer in the chilly blast of winter and reminds one of the balmy season which the residents of the gulf states are enjoying.

Runaway.

The horses attached to the large moving truck belonging to George Cromwell ran away this afternoon on Peoria avenue. They were stopped on Schuler hill near the E. L. Edwards home. Not much damage was done.

LONG DEBATE ON CANAL.

Discussion of Routes Promises to Be Lengthy.

SENATOR HANNA FIGHTING HARD.

Senator Morgan Will Lead Nicaragua Forces Against the Ohioans. More Capitol Improvements Suggested—President Late at Dinner.

WASHINGTON, March 17.—[Special.]—When the canal bill is finally launched in the senate, there is liable to be a long debate. No other reason can be assigned for the vast amount of testimony which the committee has taken and which lays the foundation for interminable talk and discussion. At the same time the advocates of the Nicaragua canal, who have a majority in the committee and who might have at any time reported their bill, have been making what they claim is a strong case for their side of the question. On the other hand, advocates of the Panama route believe the testimony will sustain that route. Now, if the respective advocates of the two routes insist upon reading all the literature that has been prepared, including the report of the commission, it is evident that the debate is going to be very lengthy. Senator Hanna is making one of the hardest fights of his legislative career against the Nicaragua route. He is not the kind of man that lets go easily.

On His Own Hook.

When Morgan gets ready to take up the bill, he will make the motion regardless of the fact that the Republicans have a "steering committee" in the senate which outlines the business of the session, decides what measures shall first be considered and what shall be postponed. The Alabama senator does not recognize any such committee and is independent enough to disregard it. Were he a younger senator he would seek to get his bill in the "order of business" of the "steering committee," but he is so conscious that he is right with his Nicaragua bill that he will force a vote any time without regard to what arrangements have been made by the majority through their authorized committee. This may mean that Senator Morgan will not get consideration of his bill when he wants it, but this will not prevent him from trying.

Capitol Improvements Suggested.

Senator Elkins has been looking over the senate wing of the capitol with a view of making improvements. As a member of the committee on rules it is in his province to suggest any changes about the capitol. He wants to replace the brownstone floor of the rotunda with mosaic; also the tiling in the senate corridors with the same material. He wants to have wainscoting around the sides of the rotunda for about six feet and to brighten up the somewhat dingy appearance of the walls. "More than anything else, he thinks the ragged old doors of the capitol should give place to something better. 'The capitol of this great nation,' says the senator, 'should be beautiful and attractive. This rich people would not want anything but the best, and all these improvements that would be so effective should be made.'

The President Was Late.

During the days of snow and slush in Washington the president took his exercise notwithstanding the disagreeable conditions, and when he thought the weather was too bad for riding he went on foot. One evening he had worked somewhat longer than usual, and, although there was to be a little dinner party at the White House, he said, "Well, I must have my exercise, and I can take an hour and a half in the open air." The dinner hour arrived, but the president was not there. The guests assembled in the blue room and waited. Some grew anxious and suggested that some of the secret service men should be notified. Mrs. Roosevelt was undisturbed, saying something had delayed him and expressing the belief that he would return soon. A half hour after the time set for the dinner the president appeared at the White House. "Am I late?" he asked one of the doorkeepers. "Indeed you are," responded the man. "The guests are in the blue room." When the president met his guests, he explained his delay, saying that when he started away he determined to walk three-quarters of an hour away and that would give him the same time to return, but while he was out the slush and snow froze, and his pace was necessarily slow. "I got the exercise, though," said the president.

One From Cushman.

Representative Cushman of Washington will not spoil a good story because it is on himself. He says that once when rather young and hard up in Omaha he was a "biscuit shooter" in a "hurry up hashhouse." One of his fellow workers was a man named Gates. After years of effort in the west Cushman was on his way to Washington to attend his first session of congress. In Omaha he met Gates, who had not graduated, so to speak, from his former occupation. After a most hearty greeting and many queries Gates finally asked Cushman what he was doing. "Throwing my chest out," said Mr. Cushman. "I remarked, 'I am a member of congress.' 'Say that again, will you?' said Gates. I repeated the statement. 'Say, Cushman,' said Gates, 'where are you a congress man from?' 'From Washington,' I replied. 'Well, do you know,' he said earnestly, 'a fellow told me ten years ago I ought to go out to Washington and I see now I made a mistake in not going.' And Gates never knew why I laughed," added Cushman.

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Night Was Her Terror.

"I would cough nearly all night long," writes Mrs. Chas. Applegate, of Alexandria, Ind., and could hardly get any sleep. I had consumption so bad that I felt I would cough myself to death. I bought a bottle of Dr. King's New Discovery and it cured me. I gained 55 pounds. It is absolutely guaranteed to cure Coughs, Colds, La Grippe, Bronchitis and all throat and Lung Troubles. Price 50c and \$1.00. Trial bottles free at Rowland Bros. drug store.

Strikes a Rich Find.

I was troubled for several years with chronic indigestion and nervous debility," writes F. J. Green, of Lancaster, N. H. "No remedy helped me until I began using Electric Bitters which did me more good than all the medicines I ever used. They have also kept my wife in excellent health for years. She says Electric Bitters are just splendid for female troubles that they are a grand tonic and invigorator for weak run down women. No other medicine can take its place in our family." Try them. Only 50c. Satisfaction guaranteed by Rowland Bros.

A Horrible Outbreak.

"Of large sores on my little daughter's head developed into a case of scald head," writes C. D. Labill of Morgantown, Tenn., but Bucklen's Arnica Salve completely cured her. It is a guaranteed cure for Eczema, Tetter, Salt Rheum, Pimples, Sores, Ulcers and Piles. Only 25 cents at Rowland Bros.

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The following letter from A. J. Nussbaum, of Batesville, Ind., tells its own story. "I suffered for three months with a severe cold. A druggist prescribed me some medicine, and a physician prescribed for me, yet I did not improve. I then tried Foley's Honey and Tar, and eight days cured me." Refuse substitutes. Sold by Rowland Bros.

Are you sick? If so, investigate the merits of HERBINE. It is a concentrated medicine, the dose is small, yet it quickly produces the most gratifying results, digestion improves, the lips and cheeks lose their pallor, the eye becomes bright and the step elastic. Price, 50 cents. E. M. Bunnell Co.

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But never follows the use of Foley's Honey and Tar. It stops the cough, heals and strengthens the lungs and affords perfect security from an attack of pneumonia. Refuse substitutes. Sold by Rowland Bros.

For all pulmonary troubles BALLARD'S HOREBOUND SYRUP, taken in the early stages, proves a certain and sure specific. It is equally effective in croup and whooping cough, and if used in season prevents the further development of consumption. Price 25 and 50 cents. E. M. Bunnell Co.

Dangers of Pneumonia.

A cold at this time if neglected is liable to cause pneumonia which is so often fatal, and even when the patient has recovered, the lungs are weakened making them peculiarly susceptible to the development of consumption. Foley's Honey and Tar will stop the cough, heal and strengthen the lungs and prevent pneumonia. Sold by Rowland Bros.

Children often inherit feeble digestive power and colic of a more or less severe character results, when food is taken which is at all difficult to digest. WHITE'S CREAM VERMIFUGE acts as a general and permanent tonic. Price, 25 cents. E. M. Bunnell Co.

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Couldn't help getting a cold never cures it; but carrying home a bottle of BALLARD'S HOREBOUND SYRUP, and using it as directed, will cure the worst kind of cough or cold. Price 25 and 50 cents. E. M. Bunnell Co.

Cough Settled on Her Lungs.

"My daughter had a terrible cough which settled on her lungs," says N. Jackson, of Danville Ill. "We tried a great many remedies without relief, until we gave her Foley's Honey and Tar which cured her. Refuse substitutes. Sold by Rowland Bros.

No one knows the unbearable torture one undergoes from piles unless they are so afflicted. TABLER'S BUCKEYE PILE OINTMENT is a quick, safe and painless cure. Price 50 cents in bottles, Tubes, 75 cents. E. M. Bunnell Co.

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FIERCE MARCH BLOW

Winter Sort of Lingers in the Lap of Spring in the Northwest Region.

FALL OF SNOW IS EXTRA HEAVY

Ties Up the Northern Pacific and Great Northern—Down South It Is Wet Again.

St. Paul, March 17.—North Dakota and the Canadian northwest have experienced the worst snow storm in many years, and railroad traffic is practically paralyzed. The Northern Pacific and Great Northern have not moved a wheel for more than thirty-six hours in the blizzard stricken district, and have abandoned all efforts to do so until the fury of the storm abates. The high wind has piled the snow in mountainous drifts and packed it in solid masses, many deep cuts being entirely filled. The temperature has been gradually falling and is at this writing at or below the zero mark. Not a transcontinental train has arrived in St. Paul since Friday, and none is expected for several days. The Northern Pacific reports its west bound coast train, which left St. Paul Saturday morning, tied up at Fargo.

Great Northern No Better Off.

The situation on the Great Northern is equally bad. The line is tied up entirely between Grand Forks and Williston, N. D., a distance of about 35 miles, and all wires have been lost beyond Fargo. Thirty miles of wire are gone between Fargo and Casselton, N. D., and all communication with western Dakota and Montana points has been lost. So fierce has been the storm that it has been deemed inadvisable to attempt to reopen the road until it abates. Reports received at the general offices indicate that the gale has somewhat subsided, but that the snow still continues to fall. The branch of the Great Northern running to Winnipeg is also tied up. No trains have been started northward since Friday night, and those that were caught out on the road by the storm have been held at the station near the border.

Will Be Good for the Loggers.

Marquette, Mich., March 17.—The Upper Peninsula is in the throes of a cold wave. Balmey, springlike weather has suddenly given way to chilling blasts, and at many points the mercury is hovering around the zero mark. At Marquette last evening the thermometer registered 15 above. This is a drop of fifty degrees since Saturday. Snow has been falling at intervals. The change is welcomed by lumbermen, and should freezing weather continue for several days it will serve to materially cut the losses of those loggers who have been hit by the unprecedentedly early break-up.

SOUTH GETS TOO MUCH WATER

Floods Brought On by Extraordinary Rains—Fatal Cyclones Rage.

Atlanta, Ga., March 17.—Heavy rains Saturday and Sunday night in northern and middle Georgia have caused the Atlanta weather bureau to send flood warnings to Etowah, Ala., and West Point and Columbus, Ga., predicting a rapid rise in the Chattahoochee. North Alabama is deluged, as were portions of south Georgia and northern Florida, and streams in those sections of the south are out of their banks. At Albany, Ga., the Flint river, which rose at the rate of a foot an hour Saturday night, has not yet reached the maximum height expected. The rainfall there in the past three days is nearly twelve inches.

A special to The Constitution from Brunswick, Ga., says: "Information reaching Brunswick is to the effect that the surrounding country is flooded as a result of the recent rains. Rain has been coming down in torrents here since noon and there is no indication of a cessation. Not a train is moving over the Brunswick and Birmingham railroad. Through Buffalo Swamp water is over the tracks for nearly a mile and passengers are unable to get to Brunswick. The Alabama river is still high, but is reported falling north of here."

A negro was killed by a cyclone which passed over Monroe, Upson and Crawford counties of this state yesterday. Cicero Thorpe's residence near Macon, Ga., was blown down and many negro houses on his plantation were destroyed. The track of the storm was from Moran's Mill to Montpelier Springs, an old college settlement, was destroyed, two big brick houses and a frame dwelling being demolished and the families occupying them being rendered homeless.

Birmingham, Ala., March 17.—A cyclone struck the mining town of Piner, Bibb county, wrecking forty houses and damaging thirty-five others. Ed Turner, colored, was killed, and John Allen, wife and three children were severely injured.

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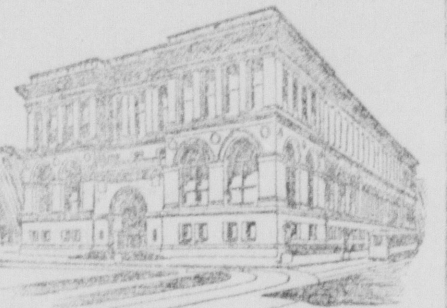
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ALTGELD IS AT REST

His Last Occupies Its Windowless Palace in Greenwood Cemetery.

Chicago, March 17.—Followed by hundreds of friends, the governor of the state, a large number of well known politicians, labor leaders and other notable men, all that was mortal



CHICAGO LIBRARY BUILDING.

of John Peter Altgeld was yesterday deposited in his last resting place in Greenwood cemetery. There was no military display, this being omitted at the request of Mrs. Altgeld, though Governor Yates expressed a desire to call out the Chicago National Guard regiments, and would have attended with his staff in full uniform had it not been for the widow's wishes. As it was he was in citizen's dress and attended by Assistant Adjutant General J. A. Smith, also in citizen's dress.

Saturday the body lay in state in the Library building from 10 a. m. to 10 p. m., and during that period thousands passed by and took a last look at the face of the dead. In less than an hour immediately after the doors were opened 3,000 persons filed by. The corridor in the Library building where the remains lay was decorated with heavy draperies of black and white and there were many floral tributes heaped about the casket.

The line of march yesterday for the parade was from the Library building to Lincoln park, where the parade disbanded. It was composed of the governor and other state officials, county officials, members of the legislature, Turner societies, political societies, labor organizations, Boer sympathizers, etc., and the parade route was crowded with people. Wm. J. Bryan was an honorary pallbearer and spoke a few words at the grave.

GIVES STATESMEN RELIEF

But Pension Attorneys Will Not Like the New Pension Enactments.

Washington, March 17.—Senators and members of congress are very much interested in the fact that the pension appropriation bill soon will become a law, because they hope to obtain from it some relief from the pressure on them to secure private pension legislation.

The bill contains a provision making it a criminal offense for attorneys, claim agents or other persons to receive in compensation for services rendered in connection with the passage through congress of private pension bills. They say there are now many times as many bills before congress as possibly can receive attention during the congress, and the number is increasing daily.

DOWN WITH A SCORE

Steamer They Sinks Off Nova Scotia—All of Her Crew Lost With Her.

Halifax, N. S., March 17.—Two fishermen in a small boat have just reached Canoe, N. S., and they report having found the Dominion Coal company's steamer Tiber sunk off White Point ledges, five miles from Canoe. There is not a trace of the crew and probably every member thereof has perished. She was manned by twenty men and Captain Henry Baulanger, of Quebec.

Senate and House in Brief.

Washington, March 17.—Differences of opinion on the Republican side appeared in the senate debate on the ship subsidy bill Saturday. Allison indicated that he was not quite satisfied with the measure and gave notice of amendments he proposed to offer to limit the time of its operation and also the amount of money annually to be paid from the treasury. Spooner took exception to some provisions of the measure. He gave notice of an amendment providing for amendment or repeal of the bill, but without impairing contracts made under it. An executive session was held.

The house devoted Saturday to private pension bills, passing 229 bills and clearing the calendar. This is the largest number of pension bills ever passed by the house at one session.

Beat the British at Chess.

New York, March 17.—After two days of hard fighting the United States chess team vanquished the British team, this being the seventh of the international series of matches for the Newnes cup. The United States won five and one-half games and Great Britain four and one-half.

Takes the Etruria's Passengers.

Horta, Azores, March 17.—The steamer Etruria has left here for Liverpool with the passengers of the Cunard steamer Etruria, which was towed in here with her propeller and rudder lost, March 9, while bound from New York for Liverpool. All were well.

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MEN WHO STAMPEDED

Not Mules, at Methuen's Disaster When Delarey Ran the Opposition.

THREE HOURS OF HARD FIGHTING

In Which the Boers Were Repeatedly Repulsed—Mounted Men Taken with Panic.

London, March 17.—The war office has received the following communication from Lord Kitchener at Pretoria: "Lord Methuen has sent me a staff officer with a dictated dispatch, from which it appears that certain particulars previously given [regarding the recent disaster to the British] are inaccurate. The rear screen of mounted troops was rushed and overwhelmed at dawn. There was a gap of a mile between the ox and the mule convoys. The mounted supports to the rear of



GENERAL DELAREY.

the screen, with General Methuen, immediately reinforced by all the available mounted troops and a section of the Thirty-eighth battery, maintained themselves for a hour, during which the convoys were closing up without disorder.

Fault of the Mounted Men.

"In the meanwhile 200 infantry were being disposed by Lord Methuen to resist the Boer attack, which was outflanking the left of the rear guard. The Boers pressed that attack hard, and the mounted troops of the rear guard, attempting to fall back on the bulk of the other mounted troops, carrying away with them in the rout the bulk of the other mounted troops. Two guns of the Thirty-eighth battery were thus left unprotected, but continued in action until every man with the exception of Lieutenant Nesham was hit. Lieutenant Nesham was called on to surrender, and upon refusing to do so was killed.

Those Left Behind Fought Well.

"Lord Methuen, with 200 of the Northumberland Fusiliers and two guns of the Fourth battery, then found himself isolated, but held on for three hours. During this period the remaining infantry—namely, 100 of the Lancashires with some forty mounted men, mostly Cape police, who had occupied a kraal near the wagons, also continued to hold out against the repeated attacks of the Boers.

Surrender of Lord Methuen.

"By this time Lord Methuen was wounded, and the casualties were exceedingly heavy amongst his men. Their ammunition was mostly expended, and the surrender was made at about half past nine in the morning. The party in the kraal still held out, and did not give in until two guns and a pom-pom were brought to bear upon them at about 10 o'clock, making their position untenable.

Boers Wear the British Uniform.

"It is confirmed that most of the Boers wore our khaki uniforms. Many also wore our badges. Even at close quarters they could not be distinguished from our own men. The infantry fought well and the artillery, in addition to the forty members of the Cape police already mentioned, a few parties of Imperial yeomanry and Cape police continued to hold their ground after the panic had swept the bulk of the mounted troops off the field."

AN OFFICER AND A GENTLEMAN

About Describes the Boer Commander—Burghers Is a Humane.

Lord Kitchener's dispatch, showing that the fighting lasted much longer than was supposed, confirms the belief that the disaster to General Methuen's forces was due to leaving too large a gap between the front convoy and the rear, and to placing an insufficient "screen" behind the rear guard, which brought about a panic among the troops as a result of the Boer onslaught. Much resentment is felt here that the Boers were British uniforms and badges, but satisfaction is expressed at the latest accounts of the affair, as indicating that the British troops behaved better than was supposed from the earlier reports. From other dispatches it appears that General Methuen was shot while riding to bring up the mounted troops, and that his horse was killed.

After the surrender General Delarey rode up and stated General Methuen with the greatest courtesy and consideration. He ordered his return to Klerksdorp under the care of his own nephew and a medical officer. According to the Daily Mail the burghers were so angry at this that a party of them went out and brought General Methuen back. General Delarey, however, overruled the objections of the burghers.

The correspondent of The Daily Mail pays a tribute to General Delarey's humanity and describes him as a "brilliant fighter and a born leader who brings no bitterness or racial feeling to his task, and who sternly represses any excesses on the part of the burghers."

Further evidence of the ability of the Boers to penetrate the blockhouse

lines is contained in a dispatch from Hellbron, Orange River colony, which describes how Commandant Mentz, the night of March 10, crossed the Hellbron-Wolkeboom line at Gottenburg. One Boer advanced firing his rifle. Two pickets between the blockhouses returned this fire and killed the Boer and his horse. The Boers then cut the wire fence and drove in a mob of loose horses, which knocked down 200 yards of the fence. Commandant Mentz then dashed through with over 300 Boers and the pickets were powerless to stop the overwhelming rush.

LATEST STYLE OF MARRIAGE

As It Was Performed in the Case of Dr. George D. Herron's Sister.

Methuen, N. J., March 17.—Miss Margaret Evelyn Herron, sister of Professor George D. Herron, was married to Dr. Henri Verner Berghall, of Manistee, Mich., at the residence of the bride's parents, Elmwood farm, near this place. The members of the Herron family and a few friends were in attendance. The couple left in the afternoon for St. Louis, which is to be their future home. The marriage was not according to "the new and simple form" by which the bride's brother, Professor, and his disciple and affinity, Miss Carrie Rand, were married last May.

The form was a new one, however, as it consisted of questions as to each taking the other and then the following: "Ihusand, therefore, as Henri Verner Berghall and Margaret Evelyn Herron, being by a reciprocal love, have taken each other as husband and wife, according to the laws of this state, and in the name of God, I 'announce' them husband and wife, and whom God hath joined together let no man put asunder. Amen." The word "announce" was asked instead of "pronounce." The officiating clergyman was Rev. J. S. Mason, a Presbyterian.

WHERE IS LARRY M'KEE?

Hard Things Are Said About Him and Some \$30,000.

St. Louis, March 17.—A traitor to his trust, Larry McKee, a messenger of the Adams Express company, has disappeared, as has also a package containing \$30,000 in cash, the money being in bills of large denominations. The package was consigned from Brazil, Ind., to this city, the consignee being a private bank of long established reputation and standing. McKee had a run on the Vandellia railroad and has been in the employ of the express company for many years, being regarded as one of their trusted men. It was on March 3 that he disappeared and when McKee was not to be found on the arrival of the train the officials became alarmed. They immediately sent special detectives to the last address they possessed of McKee, which was in Indianapolis, but found there that he had not lived at that address for several months.

Crownshield a Rear Admiral.

Washington, March 17.—The president has sent to the senate the nomination of Captain Arant Schuyler Crownshield to be rear admiral.

Mayor Rose Renominated.

Milwaukee, March 17.—Davis S. Rose was renominated for mayor by acclamation by the Democratic city convention. The platform, among other things, favors municipal ownership of electric light plant as soon as the city finances will permit.

Columbia Professor Dies.

New York, March 17.—Dr. George William Warren, professor of music at Columbia university, is dead of apoplexy. Dr. Warren was born in Albany, N. Y., in 1828, and received his musical education at Rache (Wis.) college.

Walcott Defeats Stitt.

Chicago, March 17.—Joe Walcott defeated Billy Stitt, of Chicago, at the Chicago Athletic club in a contest of six rounds. Stitt took an awful beating.

NEWS FACTS IN OUTLINE.

Anna Fritz, aged 17, was killed, and several others were badly, one fatally, injured at Cleveland, O., by an explosion in a railway torpedo factory.

Chicago bankers do not enthuse over the proposed money order scheme.

Edward C. Carter, father of ex-United States Senator Carter, of Montana, is dead at Colorado Springs, Colo.

The jewels stolen from the Cathedral of St. John the Divine, New York, have been returned. There were seven garnets and some mother-of-pearl ornaments.

A cyclone visited Scotch Plains, a Dumkaid settlement near Belleville, Kan., and did much damage.

A section of the naval arsenal at Valparaiso, Chile, has been destroyed by fire. Loss, \$1,000,000.

The British have captured a Boer officer—Commandant J. J. van Nieuwenhuizen—to form a military unit, all other Spanish soldiers declining the job.

St. Vincent's Orphan asylum, Denver, was badly damaged by fire. No one hurt.

The German reichstag has adjourned for the Easter holidays with the tariff tangle hopeless.

The Crowley controversy in the Roman Catholic archdiocese of Chicago is complicated by a number of contradictory statements from persons interested.

Of Interest and Value to Horsemen

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"My stable men inform me that they have for some time used Greene's Infallible Liniment on my horses in cases of sores, sprains, swellings, etc., and have found it very effective and satisfactory." Chas. H. Slack, Chicago, Ill.

"I cheerfully recommend it to all who keep horses." C. A. Smith, Auburn, N. Y.

"My barn foreman has used Greene's Liniment and finds it the best we have ever had in our stables." W. H. Raymond, Milwaukee, Wis.

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MOODY'S WARM WELCOME

New Navy Secretary's Neighbors Turn Out to Show Their Sentiments.

Haverhill, Mass., March 17.—Thirty thousand persons, residents of Haverhill and surrounding towns, turned out and gave Representative W. H. Moody,



WM. H. MOODY.

the newly appointed secretary of the navy, a remarkable ovation. There was a procession, fireworks and illumination, and every society and organization in the city was represented in the procession.

After the line of march had been covered a notice of the procession was made. John F. Maguire made an address of welcome on behalf of the people, and then Moody responded. He prayed the people to ask that the blessing and favor of Almighty God be vouchsafed him during his administration, and made all a most affectionate good night.

DANGER FOR COAL DIGGERS

Their Helpers Are Preparing to Give Trouble About Wages.

Seranton, Pa., March 17.—A secret organization has been formed of all the laborers employed in the mines in this vicinity. Over 8,000 are included in membership. The object of this new organization is to compel the miners to give the laborers as much as they receive themselves. At present the miners work about four hours, while the laborers work nine hours.

For this the laborers get but \$1 a day, while the miners make more than double this. The union of the laborers will demand an equal distribution of the wages. In case of a strike of the miners they declare they will take their places unless their demands are met. The laborers throughout the entire anthracite fields are being organized.

Clears Up a Disappearance.

Marengo, Ill., March 17.—While workmen were excavating a cellar two miles south of this city they discovered a human skeleton in the skull of which were several bullet holes. This apparently clears up a murder mystery dating back to 1884, when George Dunn, a semi-recluse, disappeared from his house, which was found ransacked and \$3,500 in money taken. From the position of the body it is supposed he was killed and hastily buried by some murderers.

Remarkable Cures of Rheumatism

From the *Vindicator* Rutherfordton, N.C.

The editor of the *Vindicator* has had occasion to test the efficacy of Chamberlain's Pain Balm twice with the most remarkable results in each case. First with rheumatism in the shoulder from which he suffered excruciating pain for ten days, which was relieved with two applications Pain Balm, rubbing the parts afflicted and realizing instant benefit and entire relieve in a very short time. Second, in rheumatism in thigh joint, almost prostrating him with severe pain, which was relieved by two applications, rubbing with the liniment on retiring at night, and getting up free from pain. For Sale by Rowland Bros.

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Bryan Knewes Importance.

Chicago, March 17.—William Jennings Bryan spoke words of power to the Boer envoys mingled with words of sorrow at the death of his long-time personal friend—John P. Altgeld. With an eloquent explanation for his presence in the city at a meeting in Association building the Nebraska statesman awoke the audience to choose and denounce the policy of imperialism, which he attributed to this country as well as England.

"Terrible Turk No. 2" Defeated.

St. Paul, March 17.—In the Old Auditorium John Rooney, the Chicago gripman, and the "Terrible Turk No. 2" met on the mat, the result being a victory for Rooney, the Turk forfeiting after losing the first fall in four-teen and one-half minutes, claiming that his arm had been too badly injured to continue.

Proposed Fund for Mrs. Altgeld.

Columbus, O., March 17.—The Jackson-Jefferson-Incoln League, of which ex-Representative Lentz, a close personal friend of the late Governor John P. Altgeld, is president, has started a movement for the collection of trust funds for the relief of Mrs. Altgeld.

No War on Pacific Strike is On.

Missoula, Mont., March 17.—The strike of the railway trainmen and the switchmen of the Northern Pacific railway has been declared off. It is understood that the men who went out on strike will be reinstated whenever opportunity permits.

Labor Situation at Boston.

Boston, March 17.—The labor situation in this city, after a week of agitation and anxiety, is gradually assuming normal conditions, but there are still spots where trouble may break out—cases where the strikers do not get back as fast as they desire.

Bryn Mawr Dormitory Burns.

Philadelphia, March 17.—One of the dormitory buildings, Denbig Hall, of Bryn Mawr college, an institution for the higher education of young ladies, ten miles from this city, was burned last night. No one was hurt. The building cost to build \$190,000.

One Boycott Is Maintained.

Norfolk, Va., March 17.—The boycott against the electric and gas plants of the Norfolk Railway and Light company has been raised by the Central Labor union. The boycott against the street car company will continue.

Voted to Increase Wages.

Fall River, Mass., March 17.—At a meeting of the Fall River Manufacturers' association it was voted to increase wages in all Fall River mills 10 per cent. at once. This will avert a strike.

Wisconsin Defeats Chicago.

Madison, Wis., March 17.—The University of Wisconsin track team ran away with the Chicago team in the indoor meet here by a score of 46½ to 25½.

Two Breaks.

"You needn't hide that letter you're writing. That's impolite. I wasn't looking at it." "You shouldn't have noticed that I was trying to hide it. That wasn't polite either."—Chicago Tribune.

The first shell was used in warfare by the sultan of Gujerat, India, in 1480.

Castles in the Air.

Yet I dream my dreams and attend to my castles in Spain. I have so much property there that I could not in conscience neglect it. All the years of my youth and the hopes of my manhood are stored away, like precious stones, in the vaults, and I know that I shall find everything convenient, elegant and beautiful when I come into possession. As the years go by I am not conscious that my interest diminishes. If I see that age is subtly sifting his snow into the dark hair of my Prue, I smile, contented, for her hair, dark and heavy as when I first saw it, is all carefully treasured in my castles in Spain. If I feel her arm more heavily leaning upon mine, as we walk around the squares, I press it closely to my side, for I know that the easy grace of her youth's motion will be restored by the elixir of that Spanish air. If her voice sometimes falls less clearly from her lips, it is no less sweet to me, for the music of her voice's prime fills, freshly as ever, those Spanish halls. If the light I love fades a little from her eyes, I know that the glances she gave me in her youth are the eternal sunshine of my castles in Spain.—George W. Curtis in "True and L."

Origin of the Sabbath.

The Sabbath as a religious institution is far older than the Pentateuchal legislation. It, too, can be traced back to a Babylonian prototype, not, however, as a day of rest from labor, but as a kind of atonement day, when by various rites and by observing certain restricted regulations the anger of the gods could be appeased. On this old institution the Hebrews ingrafted their religious ideas and produced the unique institution of a day observed as a respite from the week's toil and which, from being an "inauspicious" occasion, a day irae, is viewed as a "delight."—Professor Jastrow in Independent.

Wrong Was Right.

Biggs—You say Brown is enjoying very poor health. Don't you know that is incorrect? Boggs—Not in this case. Brown is never happy unless he has something to complain about.—New York Telegram.

A Loophole Open.

"You're a fraud, sir!" cried the indignant patient. "You guaranteed your medicine to cure after everything else failed, and—" "Well, my dear sir," replied the fake medicine man, "probably you haven't tried everything else."—Philadelphia Press.

Supply Practically Inexhaustible. "Don't you ever run out of material for plays?" asked the admiring friend. "Great Scott, no!" exclaimed the prolific writer of burlesque operas. "Look at this pile of blank paper and all these writing implements, will you?"—Exchange.

We have never had as great troubles in the daytime as we have imagined when lying awake at nights.—Aitchison Globe.

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—Mrs. J. B. Dille spent today in Chicago.

—Miss Mary Drew is ill with pneumonia.

—Miss Myrtle Bryan spent Sunday in Amboy.

—George Smith is in Polo today on business.

—Miss Gertie Wolf of Polo spent Sunday in Dixon.

—W. J. Carpenter went to Chicago today on business.

—Martin Wasley was out from Chicago over Sunday.

—Ralph Hendrix came home last night from Chicago.

—Mrs. Fred Twomey is visiting relatives in Beloit, Wis.

—Supper and dance at George Rosbrook's hall tonight.

—Mrs. Jay C. Mead visited in Clinton, Ia., over Sunday.

—Attorney A. C. Bardwell has been in Chicago several days.

—N. Plein and Patrick Whalen spent yesterday in Amboy.

—Rev. W. A. Phillips went to Chicago today to visit friends.

—Wm. Wise and Leonard Correll were up from Sterling last night.

—Chas. Bott came home Saturday night from a two days stay in Chicago.

—Miss Etta Burgess has returned from a visit in Sterling and Rock Falls.

—Dr. E. S. Murphy went to the metropolis this morning on professional business.

—Mr. and Mrs. Sam Long went to Chicago this morning to spend a couple of days.

—Railway Mail Clerk E. G. Brenner went to Chicago this morning to take his regular run.

—Don't forget the Phidian Art club meeting tomorrow afternoon with Mrs. George Steel.

—The Epworth League will give a supper and social at the Methodist church Thursday night.

—R. A. Rodesch says he saw two robins on his lawn this morning. This is a North Side story.

—There were 345 carloads of stock sent through Dixon to Chicago last night on the C. & N. W. road.

—W. J. Wingert is home from Shell Rock, Iowa, and has a load of milch cows at the Northwestern depot.

—Col. F. R. Hanlon, supreme director of the Court of Honor, went to Springfield last night on business connected with the order.

—Operator Walter W. Trautman went to Cortland Saturday night to join his wife and son, who were visiting relatives there. They returned last night.

—Harry Simon, the representative of Fred Kauffman, the American tailor, will be the guest of Joseph Petersberger, Tuesday and Wednesday of this week.

—The man who prepared the lunch for President Roosevelt and Prince Henry at the launching of the latter's yacht, was ruined by the souvenir fiends who stole his silverware.

—A chatelaine bag containing a rosary, and a purse containing money, that were found last week and left at this office have not been called for.

—John Lawson, the athlete, fancy skater and bicyclist called the "terrible Swede," died in Milwaukee Friday morning from an attack of pneumonia. He was about 30 years of age.

—A movement is on foot in Rock Falls to widen the Dixon road in Caloma township from the canal feeder to a point about a mile and a half east. The road there is at least six feet narrower than the legal width.

—Mrs. A. W. Dickerson and daughter who have spent the winter at the home of Mrs. C. F. Emerson on Third street have gone to Chicago to reside, where Mrs. Dickerson will make her headquarters. They will be missed by their many friends here, and Miss Dickerson especially, who was a great favorite among the young people.

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The following dispatch received this A. M. from J. T. Connors, manager, South Chicago Opera House.

South Chicago, March 17, 1902. F. A. Truman, manager.

Knobs of Tennessee, good, pleased big house last night.

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Knobs of Tennessee To-

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—Washington Times.

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MILLER'S Barber College, Chicago, Ill. Wants men to learn the trade. Last thirty days of school. Last thirty days of scholarship, board, tools and transportation before leaving home. Eight weeks required. Positions guaranteed during spring rush. Write today.

GIRL competent to do general housework? Mrs. E. W. A. Dutcher

AGENT male or female no experience necessary. Territory in Dixon and vicinity. Apply at 1632 Highland avenue.

GIRL for general housework. Enquire of Mrs. E. B. Owens, 515 East Second St.

TWO men to grub out second growth trees? not far from Milk Factory. Geo. C. Loveland.

TACKER wanted—steady position open, for steady, sober man as tacker. Freeport Shoe Mfg. Co., Freeport, Ill.

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HOUSE of 14 rooms, with all modern improvements. Corner Third and Monroe streets. R. at reasonable. Inquire of John D. Crabtree.

FLAT of seven rooms, one block from Court House. City water. Cheap. 871

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FIVE room cottage on Sixth street, east of Dixon avenue, cisterna and city water. Apply at 401 Galena avenue. Chas. Walgreen.

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125 ACRE farm, good buildings, on Franklin Grove road, adjoining Dixon. Make offer. S. R. Harris, 200 LaSalle St., Chicago.

LARGE dwelling near College suitable for roomers. F. E. Stittley Jr.

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TWO lots, 50x150, corner Peoria avenue and Eighth street, "Elie Schuler Hill." Two lots on Hennepin avenue, north of Eighth street, and four lots 50 by 150 on Highland avenue, between Seventh and Eighth streets. Enquire of Father Foley.

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SECOND-HAND household goods for sale, including stove, bed-room set and bedding, dining room. Jennie Kelster, 810 West Second street.

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CHOICEST and most central corner lot in Dixon, east front, 130 feet long, including sewerage and cement walks corner of Madison and Second. A \$2000 lot for \$1650. Special bargain. Easy terms. Geo. C. Loveland.

A GOOD 5 room cottage at Loveland Place, one block from Milk Factory, large corner lot, well shaded trees, side walks. Only \$890. Easy terms. Geo. C. Loveland.

HOUSE for sale on easy terms. James H. Clark, 331 Sherman avenue.

\$1300 is price of a good 7 room house on East Seventh St. Lot 75 x 75 foot. Very cheap. F. E. Stittley Co.

\$1300 BUYS a 5 room cottage, with good barn on Nacunda Ave. Worth \$350. F. E. Stittley Co.

LOST

FUR Collarette, lost yesterday somewhere between North Dixon and the South Side. Please leave with James E. Drew at the shoe store.

ANNOUNCEMENT.

I HEREBY announce myself as a candidate for the office of Collector for the township of Palmyra. R. J. Sartorius

I HEREBY announce myself a candidate for the office of County Judge subject to the action of the Republican County Convention. P. M. JAMES

I HEREBY announce myself a candidate for the office of County Superintendent of schools subject to the action of the Republican County Convention. I. F. EDWARDS

SUBJECT to the action of the Republican County Convention, I herewith announce myself a candidate for the office of County Clerk of Lee County. W. C. THOMPSON

I HEREBY announce myself a candidate for the office of county judge subject to the action of the county convention. Respectfully, A. G. HARRIS

I HEREBY announce myself a candidate before the Republican Convention of Lee County for the office of Sheriff of said county. Respectfully, CHARLES W. WINKLE, d&w

Fire at Oregon. Fire at Oregon last night considerably damaged the residence of Mrs. E. Brayton.

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Mens Suits such as have been selling all winter at \$12.50 \$13.50 and \$15.00, fine Worsteds, Cheviots Serges and Cassimeres. Your unrestricted choice of these Suits at.....\$8.95

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